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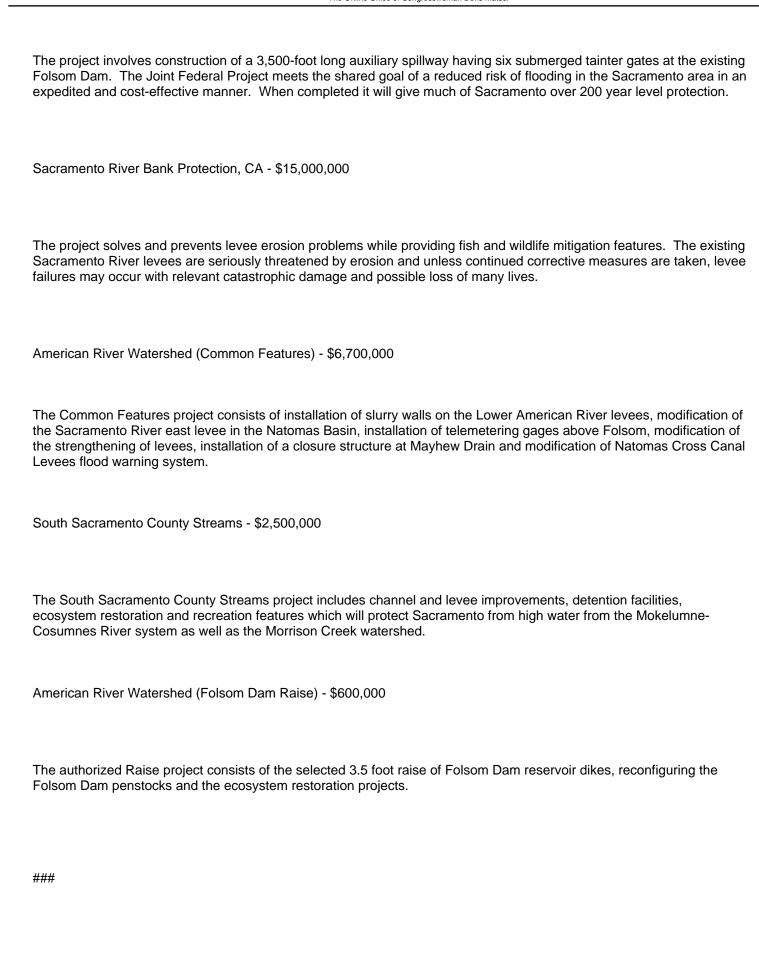
&Idquo; Sacramento is the most at-risk river city in the country, and therefore, we must make funding our flood protection projects a priority. By investing in our nation's infrastructure, we are making our communities more livable, invigorating the local economy, and continuing to give Sacramentans the flood infrastructure and security they need. I am encouraged by the \$91.5 million in President Obama's Budget for Sacramento area projects and I look forward to working with the new Administration to ensure that federal funding continues to flow towards Sacramento's flood protection needs," stated Rep. Matsui.

Rep. Matsui has been instrumental in making Sacramento flood protection a priority in Washington and securing federal funding for local projects. A long-time champion for Sacramento's flood protection priorities, Congresswoman Matsui believes this budget is an important step, and acknowledges that there is still much work to be done to reach 200-year flood protection for the region.

The Army Corps of Engineers budget numbers, which show the President's commitment to flood protection in Sacramento and are the basis for what Congress will use to appropriate money this year, are below:

American River Watershed (Folsom Dam Modifications), CA - \$66,700,000

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